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APPLICANT: John Chaco et al.

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

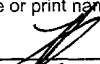
Sir:

Before examination of the above-identified application, please amend as follows:

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.10

I hereby certify that this New Application Transmittal and the documents referred to as enclosed therein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this date June 18, 2001 in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Mail Label Number EL757869022US addressed to: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, line 3, please replace entire paragraph (lines 3 - 9) with the following:

--This is a continuation of Application Serial No. 09/923,227, filed September 4, 1997, which is a continuation-in-part of Application Serial No. 08/087,394, filed July 2, 1993, and is a continuation-in-part of Application Serial No. 08/033,287, filed March 16, 1993, which is a continuation-in-part of copending Application Serial No. 07/924,101, filed August 3, 1992, which is a continuation-in-part of Application Serial No. 07/559,196 filed on July 27, 1990.--

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 2-30, without prejudice.

REMARKS

Kindly enter the above Preliminary Amendment before examination on the merits.

Respectfully submitted,

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